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METHOD AND DAMPER INTEGRATION  
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION**

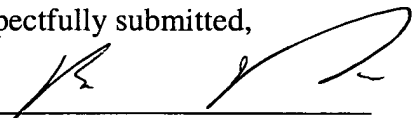
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Dear Sir:

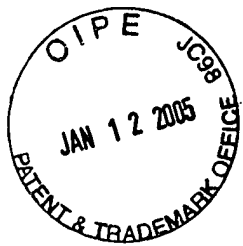
This is in response to the Office Communication dated November 11, 2004. An Amendment In Response To Non-Final Office Action and a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.144 are provide along with this response.

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.